UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS



Please note: This symbol designates an official City event or meeting. All other listed events are events the Mayor and City Council might attend.

Friday - Thursday, April 1 - 10

Arizona Bike Week at Rawhide.

Approximately 5,000 bikers are expected to attend this event.

Saturday, April 2

El Tour de Phoenix.

6:45-8:45 a.m., Approximately 700 cyclists are expected to participate. The 70-mile event starts at Red Mountain Park in Mesa enters Scottsdale on westbound McKellips, turns north onto Hayden, continues on Hayden to Shea, and then east on Shea through Fountain Hills and onto the Beeline Highway.

Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day.



7:30 a.m.-2 p.m., City Corporation Yard (9191 E San Salvador).

Citizens can get rid of their household hazardous waste, which includes flammable, toxic, corrosive or any items, which may pose health or environmental threats.

March of Dimes Walk.

8 a.m. -1 p.m., Approximately 6,000 people are expected to participate. Walkers start southbound on 75th Street from Scottsdale Mall area behind library to Earl, east to Miller, and south on Miller to Eldorado Park and then onto the greenbelt.

Air National Guard Ceremony.

10 a.m., National Guard Joint Force Headquarters (5636 E. McDowell Rd.). Honoring Lt. Col. Kevin Osterman.

Confirmed Date Special Days for Special Kids.

10 a.m.-2 p.m., McCormick-Stillman Railroad Park (7301 E. Indian Bend Rd.).

This event is sponsored by the Scottsdale Rotary Club and it is anticipate that as many as 2,000 special needs children will attend.

STARS Fiesta De Las Madrinas.

6 p.m., Auction; 8:30 p.m., dinner, Chaparral Suites Grand Ballroom (5001 N. Scottsdale Rd).

Sunday, April 3

DC Ranch Run.

7-11:30 a.m., Approximately 600 participants and will take place within DC Ranch.

Monday, April 4



City Council Budget Subcommittee Meeting.

New time ***8:30 a.m.***, City Hall Kiva Conference Room (3939 N. Drinkwater Blvd.).

Press Conference & Pep Rally for HB 2563.

12:45 p.m., State Capitol (1700 W Washington St., Phoenix). Cable television Services – hosted by League of AZ Cities & Towns.

Tuesday, April 5



Audit Committee Meeting.

9 a.m., City Council Conference Room (3939 N. Drinkwater Blvd.).

Tuesday, April 5 cont'd.



City Council Meeting.

3 p.m., Executive Session-Charter Officers Evaluation, 5 p.m., City Hall Kiva (3939 N. Drinkwater Blvd.).

Arizona Bike Week at Acme Bar, 4245 N. Craftsman Court.

4 p.m.-2 a.m., Craftsman court will be closed between Acme Bar & dos Gringo for motorcycle parking. MCSO deputies will handle traffic control. Approximately 500 people are expected.

Arizona Bike Week at Holiday Inn, 3131 N. Scottsdale Rd.

2-11 p.m., Approximately 400 people are expected to attend barbeque.

Hacienda Harley-Davidson Kickstart Party, Hayden & Northsight.

5-10 p.m., Approximately 8,000 people are expected.

Wednesday, April 6

Scottsdale Area Chamber of Commerce Hosts Airpark Breakfast & Bus Tour.

7-11 a.m., Marriott at McDowell Mountain (16770 N. Perimeter Dr.).

Thursday, April 7



Development Review Board.

12 p.m. Study Session; 1 p.m. Regular, City Hall Kiva (3939 N. Drinkwater Blvd.).



West Chaparral Road Neighborhood Meeting.

6-8 p.m., Human Resources Pinnacle Training Room (7575 E. Main St.). Update on comprehensive traffic calming plan for Chaparral Road between Scottsdale & 68th.

2005 Preservation Party.

6 p.m., Taliesin West (12621 N. Frank Lloyd Wright Blvd.).

Sponsored by the McDowell Sonoran Land Trust and the Frank Lloyd Wright Foundation.

Friday, April 8

State Liquor Board Public Hearing.

9 a.m., Liquor Board Department Hearing Room (800 W. Washington St., 5th Floor, Phoenix). Community will be able to share issues or convey their experiences & recommendation for any improvements to the process.

Senior Center's Entertainment Extravaganza.



1:30 p.m., Civic Center Senior Center (7375 E. Second St.). 3rd Annual Tony Scelzo extravaganza. Event features seniors singing, dancing and performing comedy skits.

Scottsdale Charros Outstanding Students & Educators Awards Banquet.

6 p.m., Chaparral Suites (5001 N. Scottsdale Rd.).

Sunday, April 10

Israeli Independence Day.

12:30-4:30 p.m., Ina Levine Jewish Community Campus (southeast corner of Scottsdale & Sweetwater).

Monday, April 11



Arbor Day.

9 a.m., Civic Center Mall, near City Hall. Will include a tree planting by school children.

Monday, April 11 cont'd.



Motorized Play Vehicle Public Meeting.

6:30 p.m., Mustang Library (10101 N. 90th St.).

Tuesday - Sunday, April 12 - 17

Scottsdale Culinary Festival.

Scottsdale Center for the Arts & Scottsdale Mall.

Tuesday, April 12



City Council Work Study.

5 p.m., City Hall Kiva (3939 N. Drinkwater Blvd.).

Wednesday, April 13



Planning Commission Meeting.

4 p.m., Study Session; 5 p.m., Regular Meeting, City Hall Kiva (3939 N. Drinkwater Blvd.).



Motorized Play Vehicle Public Meeting.

6:30 p.m., Civic Center Library (3839 N. Drinkwater Blvd.).

Friday, April 15

Maricopa County NAACP Freedom Fundraiser.

6 p.m., Hyatt Regency Downtown (122 N. 2nd St., Phoenix).

Saturday - Sunday, April 16 & 17



Neighborhood Improvements/Clean-up Weekend.

Residents are encouraged to organize a clean-up project, such as alley beautification, yard landscaping, home repair or litter pick-ups. Citizens can register their neighborhood project with the Scottsdale Pride Committee & receive City recognition.

Desert Dog Regional Police K-9 Trials.

9 a.m., Scottsdale Stadium (7408 E Osborn Rd.). Police K-9 teams from around the southwest will compete in activities including: area & building searches, obstacle courses, tactical obedience, handler protection scenarios & narcotic & explosive detection. Event is free to the public.

Monday, April 18



City Council Budget Subcommittee Meeting.

4 p.m., City Hall Kiva Conference Room (3939 N. Drinkwater Blvd.).

Tuesday. April 19



Employee Benefits Fair.

8 a.m.- 4 p.m., One Civic Center (7447 E. Indian School Rd.).

Optima Camelview Village Groundbreaking Ceremony.

10-10:30 a.m., North of Fashion Square.



City Council Meeting.

3 p.m., Executive Session, 5 p.m., City Hall Kiva (3939 N. Drinkwater Blvd.).

Wednesday, April 20

Mission Santa Fe Homeowners Association meeting

7 p.m. at the Association Pool (8860 E. Riviera Dr.)

City staff, including Deputy Fire Chief Garret Olson, Vivek Galav, CPM Project Manager, and Dave Meinhart, Transportation Planning Director, have been invited to discuss the following: general status update on the Scottsdale Fire Department and an update on Cactus Rd. and 90th St. road and intersection improvements.

Thursday, April 21



Mayor & Council Breakfast.

7:30 - 9 a.m., Scottsdale Center for the Arts (7380 E. 2nd St.). Chief Willie McDonald, Speaker.



Development Review Board.

12 p.m. Study Session; 1 p.m. Regular, City Hall Kiva (3939 N. Drinkwater Blvd.).



Pinnacle Peak Volunteer Recognition.

6:30 p.m., La Mirada Park (Pinnacle Peak & Pima Roads).

Saturday, April 23



Adopt-a-Road - Scottsdale Clean & Scenic.

Businesses/residents who have already adopted a road are encouraged to do their litter pick-up this day. Residents/businesses can also clean an "orphaned" road.

Salsa Challenge.

11 a.m. - 6 p.m., Scottsdale Stadium (7408 E. Osborn Rd.).

Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Black & White Ball.

6 p.m., Arizona Biltmore Resort (2400 E. Missouri Ave.).

Tuesday, April 26



City Council Work Study Session.

5 p.m., City Hall Kiva (3939 N. Drinkwater Blvd.).

Thursday, April 28 & Saturday & Sunday, April 30 & May 1 **EnviroKidsFest '05 & Sun Festival Southwest.**



10 a.m.-6 p.m., WestWorld (16601 N. Pima Rd.). This is an interactive, environmental event designed to meet state science curriculum standards & provide interactive activities highlighting solar & renewable energy, wildlife & preservation, water conservation & recycling.

Thursday, April 28



WestWorld Subcommittee Meeting.

8 a.m., WestWorld Monterra's Restaurant (16601 N. Pima Rd.).

Friday, April 29

Authors & Appetizers Among Friends.

7-10 p.m., Scottsdale Civic Center Library (3839 N. Drinkwater Blvd.).